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EXAMINING GROUP 1751**

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Roland DE LA METTRIE et al.) Group Art Unit: 1751
Application No.: 09/852,624) Examiner: Eisa B. Elhilo
Filed: May 11, 2001)
For: OXIDISING COMPOSITION FOR)
TREATING KERATIN FIBRES)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

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In reply to the Final Office Action mailed October 21, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of the subject application in view of the following remarks. This paper is timely in view of the Notice of Appeal and Petition for Extension of time filed on April 19, 2004.